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SUBJ: SECOND REPORT ON EARTHQUAKE IN EASTERN CARIBBEAN

REF: BRIDGETOWN 1747

1. CONTROL TOWER AT SEAWELL AIRPORT HERE HAS RESPONDED TO OUR INQUIRY BY STATING THAT CONTROL TOWERS AT AIRPORTS ON ANTIGUA AND ST KITTS REPORT MODERATE DAMAGE TO BUILDINGS AND NO KNOWN CASUALTIES ON THEIR RESPECTIVE ISLANDS. THEY ALSO REPORT NO TIDAL WAVES IN THE AREA.

2. SHORTLY AFTER 1400 HOURS, WE WERE SUCCESSFUL IN REACHING CHIEF OF POLICE IN MONTSEERRAT BY TELEPHONE. HE STATED THAT THAT ISLAND HAD BEEN SHAKEN BY TREMORS AT 0555, 0900, AND JUST A FEW MINUTES BEFORE OUR CALL. LAND SLIDES HAD OCCURRED, BUT NO CASUALTIES OR SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE HAD RESULTED.

3. US NAVAL FACILITY HERE UNABLE TO REACH US NAVAL FACILITY ON ANTIGUA DIRECTLY BUT HAS LEARNED FROM CINCLANT (NORFOLK) THAT ANTIGUA FACILITY HAD SUFFERED NO SERIOUS DAMAGE AND NO CASUALTIES.

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